## Peer Review of Scientific Information Checklist

- 1. Title: Plasma Metabolites and Migration Physiology of Semipalmated Sandpipers: Refueling Performance at Five Latitudes
- 2. Description: This manuscript describes spatial and temporal variation in plasma metabolites (triglycerides, phospholipids, B-OH-butyrate, and glycerol) of semipalmated sandpipers during winter and on migration.
- 3. Estimated dissemination date of the final version of the document: December 2007
- 4. Kind of peer review that will be conducted: Individual letters from reviewers selected by editor of scientific journal
- 5. Anticipated number of reviewers: 3
- 6. Reviewer selection method: Reviewers selected by journal Oecologia
- 7. Primary disciplines or expertise needed in the review: Reviewers will have expertise in ornithology, physiology, and migration ecology.
- 8. Estimated start date of peer review: April 25, 2007
- 9. Opportunities for the public to comment on the work product to be peer reviewed: Public comment will not be sought, but the public may comment via letters to the editor of the journal after publication.
- 10. Indicate whether the public, including scientific or professional organizations, will be asked to nominate potential peer reviewers: The public, including scientific and professional organizations will not be asked to nominate potential peer reviewers. Peer reviewers will be selected by the editor of the scientific journal.

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